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TAGS: BEXP, SW
SUBJ: ADS REQUEST: COMPUTER ELECTION SYSTEMS, INC., BERKELY, CA.

1. OF THE FIRMS WE CONTACTED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS ADS, ONLY
THE FOLLOWING HAS THUS FAR INDICATED GREAT INTEREST IN REPRESENTING
COMPUTER ELECTION SYSTEMS.

CHERRY FORETAGEN
KASERNTORGET 6
S-411 18 GOTEBOG, SWEDEN
CONTACT: MR. ROLF LUNDSTROM
TELEPHONE: 031/17 62 40
TELEX: 13360 CHERRY S

2. CHERRY FORETAGEN (THE CHERRY GROUP) IS THE LEADING COMPANY
IN SCANDINAVIA OPERATING LOTTERY AND ELECTRONIC AMUSEMENT GAMES,
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS ON VIDEO-TV, VENDING AND SLOT MACHINES. ITS
HEAD OFFICE IS LOCATED IN STOCKHOLM AT: STORGATAN 26, S-171 63
SOLNA. REGIONAL OFFICES ARE LOCATED IN SIX CITIES IN SWEDEN,
ONE IN DENMARK, AND ONE IN THE UNITED KINGDOM. THERE ARE SOME
THIRTY DISTRICT OFFICES AND ABOUT 170 SERVICE ENGINEERS LOCATED
ALL OVER SWEDEN. AFFILIATED FIRM: SCANDOMAT VENDO AB. THE
COMPANY REPRESENTS: ATARI INC., LOS GATOS, CA; AND VENDO CO.,
KANSAS CITY, MO.

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3. THE COMPANY WAS REGISTERED IN 1963. THE SHARES ARE HELD BY
STENA LINE AB (49 PERCENT) AND BY MESSRS. BILL LINDVALL, ROLF
LUNDSTROM, PER HAMBERG, LARS KLING, SVEN AAGE BENGTSSON, AND
TRYGGVE ASHAMMAR. MR. BILL LINDVALL IS THE MANAGING DIRECTOR AND
MR. ROLF LUNDSTROM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR IMPORTS AND THE ACQUISITION
OF NEW AGENCIES. MR. LUNDSTROM HAS GOOD CONTACTS WITH THE

SWEDISH GOVERNMENT.

4. RELIABLE CREDIT SOURCES REPORT THAT THE COMPANY'S ANNUAL TURNOVER AMOUNTS TO APPROX. SKR 105 MILLION AND ITS PROFITS TO APPROX. SKR 1.5 MILLION. IT IS SOUND FINANCIALLY, PAYMENTS ARE MET SATISFACTORILY, AND ITS MANAGEMENT IS CONSIDERED EFFICIENT AND CAPABLE. RECOMMENDED TRADE CONTACT.

5. MR. LUNDSTROM OF CHERRY-FORETAGEN WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHERE AND BY WHICH US AUTHORITIES THIS SPECIFIC ELECTION SYSTEM IS BEING USED.

APPROVING OFFICER: ECON:CA:T.RUMME.
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